

21 DAYS • PRAYER WALKING • PRAY •• ILL: MATRIX, IN CHARGE OF MY OWN DESTINY RAMPANT INDIVIDUALISM

# The Problem

### If we don't **<u>CHOOSE</u>** it, we don't <u>**WANT**</u> it.

PREVENTS US FROM SEEING GOD AT WORK • PREVENTS US FROM SERVING OTHERS • CHRISTIANS AND MASKS? JUST LIKE EVERYONE ELSE • IF WE DON'T CHOOSE IT... GOING TO CHURCH? SERVING NEIGHBORS? ETC... ~~ INDIVIDUALISM PREVENTS US FROM UNDERSTANDING SALVATION OR IMITATING JESUS. ~~

# The Solution

### We are **<u>CHOSEN</u>**.

GOD CHOSE US, WE DID NOT CHOOSE HIM • AS TOUCHY AS MASKS • PEOPLE DON'T LIKE THIS

1 Peter 1:1-2

Who is Peter? • Who are we? • What happened? • Why?

### All believers are **<u>CHOSEN</u>** by God for his **<u>PURPOSES</u>**.

DA: BUT WHAT ABOUT FREE WILL? • EASY? BOTH • HARD? WHY ARE YOU ASKING!? YOU DON'T GET CREDIT • YOU CAN'T BLAME

1 Peter 1:3-9

BIRTH • YOU DIDN'T MAKE IT HAPPEN • YOU COULDN'T STOP IT • YOU CAN'T UNDO IT

Believers are born into a **DIFFICULT** but

# <u>GUARANTEED</u> <u>BLESSING</u>.

### 1 Peter 1:10-12

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We have been given an **<u>UNBELIEVABLE</u>** gospel.

THINK OF ALL THE WORK OTHERS DID TO GET THIS TO YOU • PROPHETS AND ANGELS DIDN'T UNDERSTAND!

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